GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5037
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CONSTRUCTION OF BYE PASS AROUND SOLAPUR
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a proposal for diversion of National Highway- 9 and 13 by way of a bye-pass around Solapur city was made last year;

(b) if so, details thereof; and

(c) the estimated cost of the project and the steps taken by the Government for implementation thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (MAJOR GENERAL(RETI KHANDURI, AVSM)

(a)&(b) A feasibility study for Solapur bypass between NH 9 and 13 was sanctioned in 1999. However, the State Government has now proposed to improve the existing State Highway connecting NH 9 and 13 to serve as Solapur bypass as a BOT project of State Government.

(c) No estimate for construction of bypass is under consideration of this Ministry.